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TEN CENTS PER WEEK

BATTLE BETWEEN HOLYROLLERS AND K. C. POLICEMEN

Three People Fatally Hurt in Crowded Street During Fight.

"Adam God" the Second Elijah in Hiding.

MORE BLOODSHED EXPECTED

Kansas City, Dec. 9.—John Sharp, self-styled "Adam God," leader of the Holyrollers, who engaged in a street fight with the police yesterday, is still at large. He made threats he never would be taken alive. The entire police force is searching and it is expected bloodshed will follow any attempt to arrest him. Many of Sharp's followers have disappeared. It is believed they joined him and intend to resist the police if attacked. Louis Pratt, another disciple is dying from wounds but still defies the police and says he will live to kill more officers. Policeman Clark and Mullane are dying. Patrolman Dalbow and Lola Pratt were killed yesterday.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9.—In the very shadow of the city hall a riot in which religious fanatics and the police were participants, and in which hundreds of shots were fired resulted in the death of one policeman and a young girl, fatal injury to three and slight injuries to two other persons.

The dead are: Albert O. Dalbow, policeman; Lola Pratt, aged 13 years. Fatally injured: John Sharp, known as "Adam God," a street preacher; Michael Mullane, a patrolman, not expected to live; Patrick Clark, police sergeant, at the point of death.

The slightly injured: Harry E. Stege, policeman; George M. Holt, probation officer.

Sharp Strikes Officer.
Holt, the probation officer of the juvenile court, went to investigate a case of alleged abduction reported to him. Near the corner of Fifth and Main streets he came upon Sharp, who, surrounded by his companions, was exhorting the crowd. With Sharp were A. J. Salzer, a woman and five children.

Holt then accosted the woman and inquired as to the identity of the children. She abused the officer for interference and "Adam God" struck him behind the ear with a pistol, making an ugly wound. Holt then started for the police station for assistance and as he moved away the preacher tried to shoot him, but Sharp dropped the revolver. He picked it up and snapped it at the officer, the cartridge failing to explode.

General Battle Fought.

Holt rushed into the police station and warned the officers of impending trouble. Dalbow and Stege were ordered to arrest Sharp and his followers. The religiousists were within 50 yards of the station and when the officers appeared opened fire, Dalbow fell dead and a bullet passed through Stege's arm. Other officers rushed into the street and a general battle ensued.

Lieutenant Clark was shot in the eye and Patrolman Mullane in the back as he hurried into the station for reinforcements. A riot call brought more policemen and they closed in on Sharp and his followers, firing as they went. When the firing ceased, "Adam God" lay fatally wounded, shot through the head and body. Those seriously injured were taken to the hospital.

Police Prevent Escape.

It was later learned that Sharp's male companion was Louis Pratt, the father of the five children. He was uninjured and was taken in charge by the police. The woman and the children escaped and fled to a house boat, where she defied 50 policemen.

When they rushed for the house boat she seized two children, jumped into a rowboat and attempted to escape. The officers fired a volley, one shot tearing away the greater portion of Lola Pratt's face and fatally injuring her. The woman then surrendered.

Were Known in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 9.—James Sharp, styling himself "Elijah II," at the head of a party of "Holy Rollers," first appeared in Oklahoma City in March of 1905. Sharp, his wife, a young man named Green and a boy claimed to have been the son of Sharp, all nude, headed a procession of their followers one cold day in March of 1905, and attempted to parade the town. They were arrested, but allowed to go free providing they left the country. They camped below the city and the summer following became so obnoxious to the farmers that they were again arrested. They then went to Colorado, where they got into similar trouble.

Insurgent Association Men Will Meet at Kuttawa Saturday to Hear Reply About Sales of Loose Leaf

Circuit Court Will Convene at Benton Monday But Night Riders Cases May Not be Tried.

Kuttawa, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Indications are that there will be a large attendance at the mass meeting to be held by the "insurgent" members of the tobacco growers' association here Saturday, which is called for the purpose of taking final action as to the disposition of the crop of tobacco to be grown next year. The "insurgents" have demanded the privilege of selling their tobacco loose leaf fashion and Saturday is the day set for a final answer to be given their demands from Felix Ewing, general manager of the association.

Anti-Saloon League.
Louisville, Dec. 9.—(Special)—The Kentucky Anti-Saloon league has decided to circulate petitions throughout the state, requesting the governor to call an extra session to pass the county unit bill.

Assaulted and Murdered.

Jamestown, Ky., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Mamie Wamuc, 13 years old, was criminally assaulted and murdered with a club in the woods near her home at Russell Springs while returning from school. There is no clue.

Court at Benton.

Benton, Ky., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The regular December term of the Marshall county circuit court will begin Monday and the principal cases on the docket are the night rider prosecutions. However, it is probable that all will be continued on account of the term of court being short and the Christmas holidays being at hand would prevent a special term. The criminal term of the McCracken court begins the first Monday in January.

Father Dead.

Mr. John W. Davis, of Mechanicsburg, received word today that his father is dead at Du Quoin, Ill.

Eight Indicted for Murder.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 9.—An indictment charging eight men with the murder of Capt. Quentin Rankin, was reported to Judge J. E. Jones by the December term of the grand jury and upon it the state will announce ready for trial as soon as court convenes.

BIG MEETING OF TOBACCO PLANTERS WILL BE HELD HERE THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17

It is expected that 10,000 tobacco growers, members of the Planters' Protective association, will meet in Paducah, Thursday, December 17, when Felix G. Ewing and others prominent in the organization will speak here. Announcement has been made that all questions regarding the collection and disbursement of funds and the management of the organization will be answered and that fact in view of the recent suit for a receiver will make the meeting one of the most interesting ever held in western Kentucky.

Secretary McKeage, of the county executive committee, of the organization who is arranging for the meeting said this afternoon that there would be special rates on all railroads entering the city and that each county in the Paducah district will be represented.

Besides Mr. Ewing, Judge Joe Robins of Mayfield, Captain W. J. Stone of Kuttawa, and Congressman Joe Washington of Tennessee, will speak.

Holland's Dutch Up

The Hague, Dec. 9.—Hostilities are expected in Venezuela shortly.

Commander Durth, of the fleet of Venezuela, fulfills his threat to fire on the warships. Officials declare the fleet can easily silence the batteries and capture coast cities.

Cotton Estimate

Washington, Dec. 9.—The crop reporting bureau announced the estimate of cotton production for the year 1908 is 6,182,970 pounds.

Tax Supervisors

There will be many new faces on the county board of tax supervisors when the new board meets in January; but G. R. Davis, who has been on the board several years was re-appointed. Those appointed by Judge Lightfoot are G. R. Davis, L. A. Lagomarsino, Alonzo Elliott, James H. Wilcox, D. Luckett, J. R. Leigh, Alex Williams and Oscar Rawlinson.

Taft and Cannon Confer

Washington, Dec. 9.—Taft and Cannon held a half hour conference. They declined to state the purpose, but it is generally believed they discussed tariff. It is believed Cannon promised not to oppose revision. Taft and Cannon agreed to confer with the ways and means committee to morrow.

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ONE PLAINTIFF IN ASSOCIATION CASE DRAWS OUT

Planter Declares He Does Not Belong to Law and Order League of County.

Ed Willett Says Name Was Not Authorized.

NOT FIGHTING FARMERS' POOL

In a letter addressed to the editor of The Sun today, Mr. Ed Willett, named as one of the plaintiffs in the action to throw the Planters' Protective association into the hands of a receiver, declares that he never gave his consent to the use of his name, and that the statement that he was consulted about this suit is false.

Mr. Willett says:

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 9, 1908.

To the Editor of the Daily Sun, City.

Dear Sir:

Through the columns of

the public prints of several days ago my attention was called to the

fact of a petition having been filed

in the McCracken circuit court

against the Dark Tobacco Growers'

Protective association of Kentucky,

Tennessee, etc., and certain individ-

uals, in which it is made to appear

that I am one of the plaintiffs in said

suit, the apparent effort being to

throw the association into the hands

of a receiver and ultimately to de-

stroy the association entirely.

I desire now to disclaim any con-

nection with such an effort and deny

any responsibility for or sympathy

with such a proceeding. My name

was used without my authority,

knowledge or consent and I have this

day instructed Mr. Mike Oliver, the

attorney who I understand, filed the

suit to strike my name from the

action as plaintiff or any other man-

ner to which it might appear I was

connected.

Being a farmer myself, having

been born and reared on a farm, and

following that occupation all through

life, I am the last person on earth to

do anything that would be inimical to

their interests or throw a stumbling

block in the way of their lawful

progress. I am now 43 years of age

and never was sued in my life or

brought suit against any one and

would certainly not select an organiza-

tion for the benefit of the farmers,

as I conceive it, as my first victim,

I have also written a note to Judge

Reed instructing him to strike my name

from the proceedings in any manner

in which it might appear.

In so far as the petition asserts that

the plaintiffs, including myself, be-

longed to or were members of a

"Law and Order League" and had,

for some time, discussed the mode

of filing suit against the association,

or any individual connected with it,

I desire to say is absolutely untrue

and without any foundation in fact.

In the first place, I am not a member

of any organization styled the "Law

and Order League," other than that

of any law-abiding citizen, and if

such a proceeding was had at any

meeting of such a league I was not

present and am in no wise responsi-

ble for it. Yours respectfully,

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Report of Milk Inspector.
To the Honorable Mayor and General Council of the City of Paducah, Ky.
Gentlemen: I submit herewith my report of milk test for the month of November, 1908:

	Fats.	Solids.	Water.
Allen, W. P.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Bryoles, F. G.	4.4	16.20	\$3.80
Black, C. M.	4.2	15.60	\$4.40
.....	3.8	14.40	\$5.60
Weatherford, Ed.	4.2	15.60	\$4.40
Woodrill, Chas.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
.....	3.8	14.40	\$5.60
Russell, R. A.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Tucker, M. M.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Torlari, John.	3.6	13.80	\$6.20
.....	3.8	14.40	\$5.60
Cooper, J. B.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Cloverdale.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Clark, T. A.	4.2	15.60	\$4.40
Cousin, Will.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Davis Bro.	4.0	15.00	\$5.00
Edgewood.	4.4	16.20	\$3.80

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DR. ED P. FARLEY,
Meat and Milk Inspector.

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HOLIDAYS BEGINS
FRIDAY, DEC. 18School Will be Closed Until
Monday, Jan. 4.Trustees Accept City's Proposition to
Connect Lee and Lincoln Build-
ings With Sewers.

NO EXAMS. FOR THE JANITORS.

School will close December 18 until January 4 for the Christmas holidays. The school board met last night in regular session at the Washington school building and decided.

Supt. J. A. Carnagey is in receipt of a letter from John G. Crabb, state superintendent of public instruction, stating that the Paducah schools will be given till January 1 to elect a truant officer as required by law, and if the officer is not elected then the state funds will be withheld. Mr. Crabb stated that he had given the question of the bad financial condition of the Paducah schools due consideration and had referred the matter to the attorney general. On motion of Trustee Kelley the communication was received and it was decided that a truant officer shall be elected at the first meeting in January. The salary of the truant officer is fixed by law.

Mr. Dan Fitzpatrick was present at the meeting and presented to the board estimates on the sidewalk improvements at the Lee and Lincoln buildings, amounting to \$793.37, which he has been holding for six months.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's claim for sidewalk improvements in June by Contractor George Katterjohn. The claims have been presented to the city officials, the mayor and city solicitor, and they referred the claims to the school board. Mr. Fitzpatrick offered to take \$500 and wait for the rest of the money, but the trustees did not feel able to give that large amount. Trustee Winstead made the motion that the board allow \$300 on the claims and on a vote the motion was lost by the vote of 4 years and 3 years, as it takes a majority of the trustees to pay out money. Those voting yes were Trustees Clements, Kelley, Maxwell and Winstead. Those voting no were Trustees Bondurant, Byrd and Karnes. A committee was appointed on motion of Trustee Kelley, composed of the president of the board, J. K. Bondurant, and the finance committee, Trustees Clements, Hills and Karnes, to act with Mr. Fitzpatrick in asking the city to pay off these claims.

Health Officer Dr. H. P. Sights suggested to the board that it is just as essential to have the janitors of the buildings examined as it is the teachers for the health of the children. Trustee Clements put the motion that the janitors and all their help must pass the same physical examination as the teachers at once. The motion was seconded by Trustee Winstead. The motion was lost by the vote of 4 years and 3 years. Trustees Bondurant, Clements and Winstead voted yes, and Trustees Kelley, Byrd, Maxwell and Karnes voted no.

The board decided to dismiss school on Friday, December 18, for the holidays and to resume Monday, January 4. The teachers and employees will be allowed their half month's pay roll Saturday, December 19. The report of the finance committee for November, showing accounts for payment of \$5,415.45 pay roll and incidentals was received and ordered paid. The report showed a cash balance on hand of \$7,070.84.

The report of Supt. J. A. Carnagey for November was received and filed.

Reports of the building committee and the superintendent of buildings, Fred Hoyer, were received and filed.

Prof. J. T. Ross, principal of the Jefferson school, reported that the furnace in that building does not heat the rooms properly.

Superintendent Carnagey thinks that the trouble is in the piping. On motion of Trustee Winstead, Mr. Mart Coulson was employed to look over the piping.

The proposition of the city to pay for the sanitary connection at the Lee and Lincoln school buildings was accepted, and the school board finance committee was instructed to have plans made and secure bids.

Trustees present were Bondurant, Byrd, Clements, Karnes, Kelley, Maxwell and Winstead.

Superintendent's Report.

Supt. Carnagey's report is:

Board of Education, City:—Gentlemen:—The third month of school began November 9th and closed December 4th. As this month included Thanksgiving, the schools were closed on Thursday and Friday, November 26 and 27. The attendance of the schools has been very irregular during the month owing to the prevalence of diphtheria and scarlet fever. The secretary of the board of health and other physicians of the city have carefully examined the children in all schools twice and the buildings have all been thoroughly fumigated several times. The teachers have examined the throats of the children and suspicious cases among the children have been sent home. The teachers have co-operated heartily with the efforts of the board of health and as a result, as far as I can learn, no cases of contagion have come from the schools. The sources of contagion were all in places outside the schools. The precaution taken by the board

of health and the assistance rendered by the teachers made the schools much safer places for the children than the Sunday schools, the theaters and other places where children congregate and no precautions were taken to exclude suspicious cases of contagious diseases.

Many parents took fright and kept their children away from the schools. Possibly about one-third of the children in the white schools were out on this account for from two to twenty days; while I do not censure parents for taking precaution to prevent their children from being exposed to contagious diseases, I should like to say that our experience warrants me in saying that the schools, as we protect them, are safer places than the streets, the Sunday schools, the skating rink or the five-cent theaters during the prevalence of contagious diseases. The schools are properly safeguarded. These places do not take these precautions.

The authorities through their efforts have prevented an epidemic and I trust that all the children will shortly return to their schools again. The enrollment for the month was 3,195.

The daily attendance was 2,513. The number of pupils withdrawn at the end of the month was 714.

The number of cases of tardiness was 337.

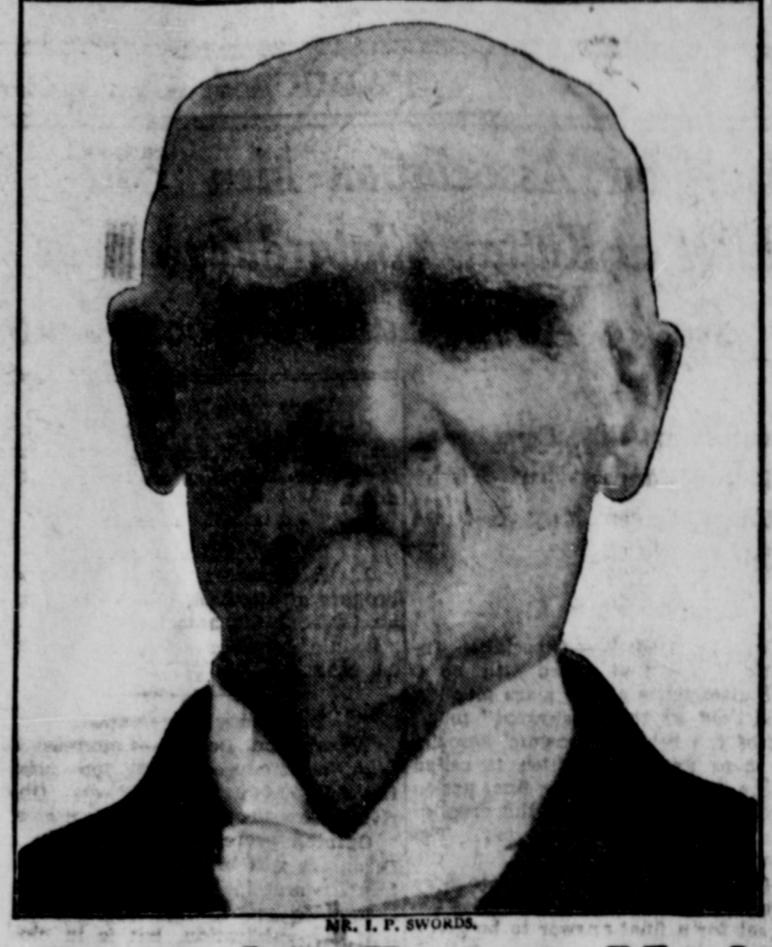
Other minor items are found in my statistical report. The health of the teachers during the month has been very good, only three teachers missing any time.

I have to report that both the Lincoln and Garfield schools through the principals and the teachers have purchased new pianos for their schools. This is a very commendable move and they deserve great credit for the enterprise they are showing in thus equipping their buildings.

Last May I wrote to the authorities of Chicago University relative to having our High school placed on their accredited list entitling our graduates to enter the University without examination. I am glad to report that Dr. Nathaniel Butler, dean of the School of Education, Chicago University, visited our High school on November 9th on an inspecting tour. He expressed himself as fairly well satisfied with what he saw, but expressed the hope that we would strengthen our equipment in the laboratories and in reference lines. He said that the university expects all its accredited schools to have good laboratories where pupils can do individual work and good reference books and maps for history, language and science. This, of course, is in harmony with what I have tried to impress upon our people, and we must come to recognize, if we wish to put our schools on a first-class basis, that the higher schools and the business world demand personal work and individual training of our graduates before they can enter the best colleges and universities or do efficient work in any line of business.

do not know what Dr. Butler's recommendation will be, but if we can gain recognition at Chicago University, it will be an encouragement. I hope to still further effort on the part of our High school to do high grade work. Very truly,

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J. H. CARNAGEY, Supt.
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Bates College, Ralph P. Cummings, end.

Beloit College, Elmer T. Abbott, center.

Bowdoin College, William P. New-
man, left tackle.

Brown University, Adrain E. Reg-
ner, right end.

Carlisle Indians, Little Boy, guard.

Clemson College, Charles M. Robb, end.

Dartmouth College, Clark W. To-
bin, guard.

Dickinson College, Frank Mount, Plesant, quarter back.

Hamilton College, L. E. Leaven-
worth, left end.

Harvard University, Hamilton Fish, full back.

Jr., right tackle.

Lafayette College, A. A. Blalcher, left end.

Princeton University, Rudolph Seigling, left tackle.

Rutgers University, Ted Leslie, full back.

Tufts College, Clarence H. Dittrick, quarter back.

University of Chicago, Harlan O. Page, right end.

University of Iowa, Raymond Cross right tackle.

West Point, Dad Pullen, right tackle.

Yale University, Edward H. Coy, full back.

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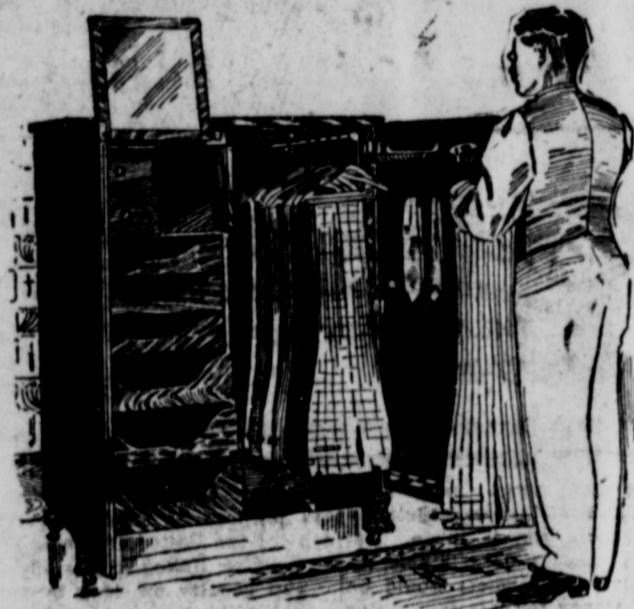
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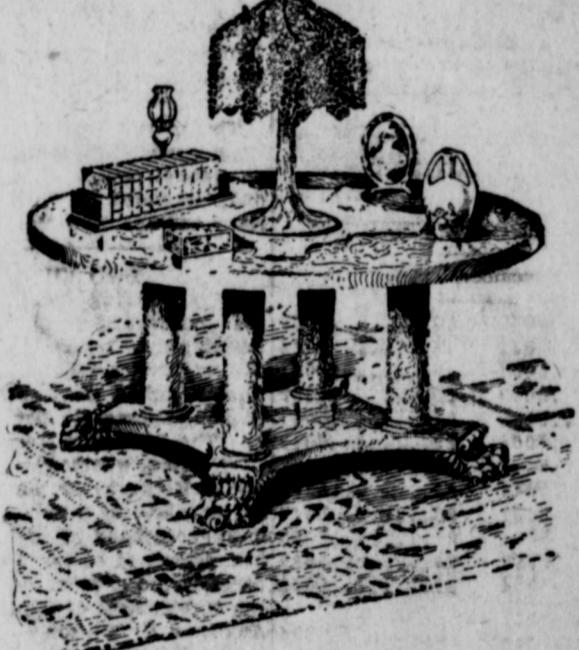
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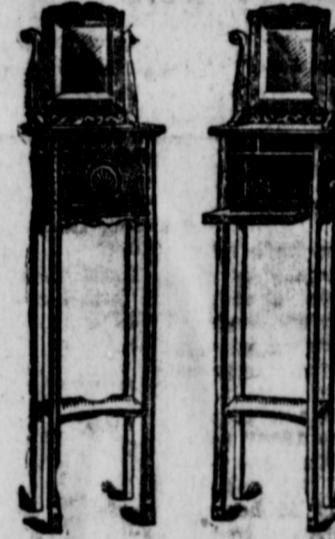
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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

November, 1908.

2	5058	17	5046
3	5051	18	5046
4	5057	19	5051
5	5049	20	5032
6	5030	21	5041
7	5064	22	5041
8	5046	23	5041
9	5044	24	5041
10	5044	25	5043
11	5061	26	5047
12	5074	27	5058
13	5056	28	5085
14	5054	29	5093
16	5036		
Total	126,304		
Average for November, 1908	5052		
Average for November, 1907	3925		
Increase	1,127		

Personally appeared before me this Dec. 1, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of November, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My commission expires January 16, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public McCracken Co.

Daily Thought.
“Weather earth shall be like heaven, depends on whether heaven is in our hearts.”

PEACE ON EARTH.

“Come, let us reason together,” said the Prophet Isaiah, and after some three centuries, man has accepted the prophet’s figurative language in a literal sense. We are beginning to reason together; the earth is beginning to see peaceful days.

The brotherhood of man is becoming something real; diplomacy is no longer a polite international lie, to mask warlike preparations. Co-operation in common enterprises; arbitration of seeming differences to ascertain whether they are really differences or merely differences in point of view; interchange of notes between nations; all these are indications of lasting peace.

America has had a hand in bringing about the new era. She has always spoken the truth in her dealings with other nations; she has been successful. Repeated successes will attract attention. Our dominant influence in China and our friendly relations with South America, despite European meddling have their effect on the foreign departments of other governments.

War clouds in the Balkans; war clouds in the Pacific; war clouds over South America, have been dispelled by reasoning together.

Church denominations are reasoning together, commercial interests and capital and labor are reasoning together.

The same practice is making this country more truly democratic. A congress of religious denominations has just adjourned after a most amicable session. In Washington today, not only is the national congress in session, but the states are represented by their leading men in a conservation congress, having under consideration the protection of all natural resources against waste; the rivers and harbors congress, which is pushing the development of maritime interest; and the southern congress, in which the strong men of the south are attracting the nation to the possibilities of the south.

These meetings have their effect two ways—they focus public attention of these communities represented on the discussion, and they impress congress with the fact that it is expected to do something, and that the folks back home are regarding the questions as national in their scope.

The leadership and inspiration of men, like Roosevelt, have done much to foster this spirit of enterprise. Such meetings as these are less subject to the taints of suspicion and corruption than are official assemblies. The men directly interested in projects for international improvement usually attend these meetings and they return home loaded with statistics, arguments and enthusiasm. Resources of the country a short time ago were considered proper spoil for corruptionists, and it was nobody’s business outside the geographical sphere of their location. Our resources now are lumped as national, and we realize that if they are wasted the whole country will suffer materially.

Instead of being largess for congressmen to distribute, river and harbor appropriations are for the benefit of the commerce of the whole country.

It is a difficult matter to focus the attention and get the joint opinion of \$0,000,000 of sovereigns on a subject, but these national meetings are doing wonders.

And they make for peace—peace among hitherto antagonistic interests—and not armed peace either; but the peace of harmony and cooperation. We shall get together more quickly in this country on these common enterprises, than the nations of the earth will get together; for these generations must pass away before jealousy and suspicion are entirely eradicated. But this peace and harmony of ours, makes us more homogeneous, more patriotic, more devoted to the interest and welfare of all. It will some day in a crisis prove the salvation of the country. Co-operating with this work is the improvement of the roads and the rural free delivery which give to the remote farmer the daily news of these assemblages and their purposes.

Those, who have been wondering, what papers should be designated as the official organs of Ananias club, one answered — The Indianapolis News and the New York Sun.

TWO VIEWS.

It is amusing and interesting, if not illuminating to observe how different people regard the same thing. For instance, a negro by the name of Hocker, killed a white man at Lexington, apparently not premeditatedly.

The Lexington Herald says: “No man, whether he be the governor of Kentucky or the most persistent and lawless member of the most outrageous band of night riders that has committed outrages in Kentucky, could strike a more deadly blow at the enforcement of the law than does Augustus E. Willson.”

The Kentucky State Journal says: “In committing the sentence of Richard Hocker, from death to life imprisonment, for the killing of Drummond Veal, in Fayette county, Gov. Wilson has, we are forced to believe, done the proper thing, and we commend his courage in doing a most unpopular thing, when convinced that it should be done. When negroes commit offenses against white men, it is too often the case that they are railroaded to punishment, and while we are as a general thing opposed to interference with the law’s decrees, the governor acts wisely in seeing that no injustice is done the humblest citizen. There are, we believe, sufficient doubts as to deliberate murder in this case, to warrant the conclusion that life imprisonment carries sufficient penalty.”

Sophy of Kravonia.

By ANTHONY HOPE,
Author of "The Prisoner of Zenda."
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Chapter Fourteen

ING ALEXIS was minded that all proper recognition should be made of Sophy’s service to his family. It had been her fortune to protect a life very precious in his eyes. Alien from his son in temperament and pursuits, he had, none the less, considerable affection for him. But there was more than this. With the prince was bound up the one strong feeling of a nature otherwise easy and careless. The king might go fishing on most lawful days, but it was always a Stefanovitch who fished—a prince who had married a princess of a great house and had felt able to offer Countess Ellenburg no more than a morganatic union. The work his marriage had begun his son’s was to complete. The royal house of Kravonia was still on its promotion. It lay with the prince to make its rank acknowledged and secure.

Then Sophy’s action loomed large in the king’s eyes, and he was indolently indifferent to the view taken of it in the barracks rooms and the drinking shops of Shlava. Two days after Mistitch’s attempt he received Sophy at the palace with every circumstance of compliment. The prince was not present—in made military duty an excuse—but Countess Ellenburg and her little son were in the room, and General Stenovics, with Markart in attendance, stood beside the king’s chair.

Sophy saw a tall, handsome, elderly man, with thick iron gray hair most artfully arranged. The care of it was no small part of the duty of Lepage, the king’s French body servant. His majesty’s manners were dignified, but not formal. The warmth of greeting which he had prepared for Sophy was evidently increased by the impression her appearance made on him. He thanked her in terms of almost overwhelming gratitude.

“You have preserved the future of my family and of our dynasty,” he said.

Countess Ellenburg closed her long, narrow eyes. Everything about her was long and narrow, from her eyes to her views, taking in on the way her nose and her chin. Stenovics glanced at her with a smile of uneasy precipitation. It was so particularly important to be gracious just now—gracious both over the preservation of the dynasty and over its preserver.

“No gratitude can be too great for such a service, and no mark of gratitude too high.” He glanced around to Markart and called good humoredly, “You, Markart there, a chair for this lady!”

Markart got a chair. Stenovics took it from him and himself prepared to offer it to Sophy, but the king rose.

He took it and, with a low bow, presented it to the favored object of his gratitude. Sophy courtesied low; the king waited till she sat. Countess Ellenburg bestowed on her a smile of winterly congratulation.

“But for you these fellows might, or, rather, would. I think, have killed my son in their blind drunkenness. It detracts in no way from your service that they did not know whom they were attacking.”

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“They knew the prince?” he asked sharply. “Why do you say that? It was dark.”

“Not in the street, sir. The illumination

DON’T BE THIN.

No Need of Being Scrawny, Weak and Emaciated.

In these days of physical culture and health foods, one would hardly expect to see thin, weak, emaciated people, but in spite of all this, nearly every person you meet is thin and scrawny.

Good healthy flesh can only be gained by the use of the proper food, which through assimilation of the fat-giving elements. Nine people out of ten in order to weigh as much as they ought and be perfectly healthy should use Samose, the great flesh-forming food. Weigh yourself before commencing to use these little tablets, and see how your weight increases.

Samose has valuable flesh-forming and tissue-building properties, and when it is assimilated with the food, it causes the flesh-making elements to be retained and the weight is naturally increased.

W. B. McPherson, the popular druggist, has sold in the last few weeks, a great many packages of Samose, every one with his personal guarantee to refund the money if it did not give satisfaction, and has had but one person ask for the money back. Just think of it; only one who used Samose found that it failed to give satisfactory increase in flesh and plumpness! You run no risk whatever in buying Samose. If you are not perfectly satisfied with the results W. B. McPherson will return your money.

tions lit it up.”

“But they were very drunk.”

“They may have been drunk, but they knew the prince. Captain Mistitch called him by his name.”

“Stenovics!” The king’s voice was full of surprise and question as he turned to his minister. The general was surprised, too, but very suave.

“I can only say that I hear Mlle de Gruché’s words with astonishment; Our accounts are not consistent with what she says. We don’t, of course, lay too much stress on the protestations of the two prisoners, but Lieutenant Rastatz is clear that the street was decidedly dark and that they all three believed the man they encountered to be Colonel Stenovitz of the Hussars. That officer much resembles his royal highness in height and figure. In the dark the difference of uniform would not be noticed, especially by men in their condition.” He addressed Sophy: “Mistitch had an old quarrel with Stenovitz! That’s the true origin of the affair.” He turned to the king again.

“That is Rastatz’s story, sir, as well as Mistitch’s own, though Mistitch is, of course, quite aware that his most unseemly and, indeed, criminal talk of the Golden Lion seriously prejudices his case. But we have no reason to distrust Rastatz.”

Lieutenant Rastatz ran away only because he was afraid.” Sophy remarked.

“He ran to bring help, mademoiselle.” Stenovics corrected her, with a look of gentle reproach. “You were naturally excited,” he went on. “Isn’t it possible that your memory has played you a trick? Think carefully. Two men’s lives may depend on it.”

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NOTICE.

To farmers, truck growers and poultry raisers of McCracken county: At the city hall Thursday morning at 10 o’clock sharp there will be delivered under the auspices of the industrial department of the N. C. & St. L railroad, a lecture upon poultry raising and truck farming by experts of the agricultural department of the United States. All farmers and citizens of McCracken county interested are especially invited and expected to be present. Respectfully, S. A. FOWLER, Secy.

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At a meeting of the creditors of John Birth, bankrupt, a dividend was ordered declared for the benefit of the secured creditors. The exact percent of the dividend can not be ascertained yet.

Matinee this afternoon at 4:15

NO MONEY PAID TO

DR. AMOSS BY EWING

Association Head Gave No
Bounty to Lead Raids.

Replies to Criticisms Against Methods
of Pool and Denounces His
Enemies.

EIGHT PERCENT FOR ADVANCE.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 9.—Long before the hour set for General Manager Felix G. Ewing, of the Planters’ Protective association, to begin his speech, the circuit court room was crowded to its capacity. When Mr. Ewing, accompanied by W. W. Radford and Dr. J. L. Barker, arrived all the aisles were crowded and it was only by squeezing through the jam that he entered by the back stairway and gained the rostrum.

Mr. Ewing discussed association affairs at length and told what it had done to relieve the condition of the members.

No Money for Amos.

When questions were asked, County Chairman Barker wanted to know if the report was true that “a certain Dr. Amos had been paid \$5,000 or some other large sum to lead certain raids.” Mr. Ewing promptly and emphatically denied that Dr. Amos or any other person had been paid any sum of money for such purposes, that no money had ever been paid out by the association except through legitimate channels for legitimate expenses and that there was no graft in the organization.

No Loose Sales.

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"Buy a Man's Gift at a Man's Store."

A FANCY VEST, or a Full Dress or Tuxedo Waist Coat, attractively boxed, would prove a most acceptable Xmas remembrance. Buying it here would be an easy matter because the display is so complete, besides there are many confined styles. The vest-two or two vests in one is amongst the Xmas exhibit.

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THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 440½ Broadway. Phone 196.

—Visit Page's short order restaurant, 123 South Second.

—Veterinarians, Farley & Fisher, 1345, old; 351, new. Hospital 429 South Third.

—All kinds of fall bulbs; also reliable lawn grass seed at Brunson's, 529 Broadway.

—Manicuring, hairdressing, scalp treatments and massaging. Iola Fisher, 614 Kentucky, phone 1852.

—Linens markers for sale at this office.

—For highest cash market price bring your tobacco to Bohmer's warehouse.

—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—The Willing Workers' society of the German Evangelical church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Richard Endris, 221 Monroe street.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon in the pastor's study of the First Baptist church at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. M. Byrd, superintendent of "medical temperament," will have charge of the meeting.

—Episcopal bazaar Saturday at 208 Broadway.

—Mr. J. B. Quisenberry, of the Guy Nance & Son undertaking firm, was called to Bandana last night to embalm and conduct the funeral of Mrs. Bradley, who died yesterday.

The Stock Company.

One of the biggest houses of the season witnessed "The Devil" by the German Evangelical church wth tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Richard Endris, 221 Monroe street.

—Engineer William Burch has gone to Morganfield on a ten days' hunting trip.

Chocolate Pie is Healthful.

Food experts agree that chocolate is one of the most healthful and nutritious articles of food known and chocolate pies are becoming very popular. Who can imagine anything more tempting or delicious than a nice, large piece of chocolate pie? Hard to make in the old way, but easy if you use "OUR-PIE." Chocolate flavor, and follow directions on the package. Contains all ingredients ready for instant use. At grocers, 10 cents. Order today.

The Royal was in port this morning from Golconda and returned at 2 o'clock this afternoon, doing a good freight and passenger business both ways.

The City of Saltillo will be due out of the Tennessee from Waterloo and way landings late this afternoon or early tonight, on her way to St. Louis. She will have a big cargo of freight for St. Louis.

The George Cowling made her two regular trips today from Metropolis here and return, doing a fine freight and passenger business on both trips.

Receiving in the hall were Mrs.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Pretty Reception for Virginia Visitors

Mrs. T. H. Puryear and Mrs. Samuel T. Hubbard were at home Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in honor of their guests, Miss Lucy Barnes Homes and Miss Ella Puryear Homes, two attractive girls from Boydton, Va.

The house was prettily decorated with smilax, ferns and chrysanthemums. In the dining room the table was a charming effect in pink and white. The centerpiece was a large cut glass bowl of pink chrysanthemums. Dishes of pink and white mints added another touch to the color motif.

Receiving with Mrs. Puryear and Mrs. Hubbard in the reception room were: Miss Lucy Barnes Homes, Miss Ella Puryear Homes, Mrs. Peter Puryear, Miss Mary Scott, Miss Euclid Deard, of McMinnville, Tenn.; Mrs. Burgess H. Scott, Mrs. Francis M. McGlathery, Mrs. William Reed.

Miss Sadie Paxton and Miss Mamie Puryear welcomed the guests in the hall.

Miss Adine Morton invited the guests into the punch room, opening out of the reception room. Mrs. Calhoun Rieke presided at the punch table and was assisted by Miss Myrtle Decker and Miss May Owen.

The punch bowl was wreathed in smilax and chrysanthemums.

Receiving in the dining room were Mrs. Marshall Puryear, Miss Julia Scott, Miss Robbie Loving, Miss Corinne Winstead. Miss Chester Morris invited the guests from the punch room into the dining room. The luncheon was a delicious salad and ice course affair attractively served.

Mrs. Hubbard wore an effective Parisian gown of red embroidered in black.

Miss Lucy Homes, who is of a distinct blonde type, was prettily gowned in a rose messaline satin made directoire.

Miss Ella Homes was charming in a directoire-empire gown of blue satin messaline that heightened her blonde type of beauty.

Miss De Bari wore an artistic gown of pink relieved by touches of black, with the embroidered net directoire sleeves and yoke.

Mrs. Marshall Puryear, a bride of last June, was handsome in a reception gown of pale blue silk and white lace.

Mrs. Calhoun Rieke, one of the October brides, wore a tulle gown of pink flowered white crepe de chine made empire-directoire.

Beautiful Reception Introducing Bride.

Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein's reception on Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock introducing her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Melvin Wallerstein, a bride of November, was a most beautifully appointed affair.

The house was a bower of the southern smilax. The arched doorways between the hall and the three receiving rooms were outlined with the graceful vine, and it was used in profusion on the balustrade of the stairway. The mantels of the reception room and the dining room were artistically banked with palms and ferns. The chandeliers were wreathed with the plumes fern. In the dining room a color-scheme of white and green was beautifully elaborated. The square table was veiled in a cloth of shiny lace over green. A round mirror framed in silver with a tall cut glass vase of the giant white chrysanthemums made a charming center-piece. Silver candlesticks with white chrysanthemum flower-shades outlined the center-piece.

Louisville it received a recognition in his piano recital at the Woman's club last evening that was eminently gratifying. His audience was large and of the discriminating order that does not accord praise where it is not commanded by distinctive merit. But from the song-like, reverential "Mozart's Musicals" of Schubert, to the fiery Liszt "Hungarian Rhapsodie" he was applauded with sincere heartiness. Those who knew him and his work before he went abroad say that he has gained in self-restraint. With the evidences of the poetic mood present in all of Mr. O'Sullivan's work this is difficult to believe for persons who hear him for the first time, and there is a suggestion that his friends, too, may have gained something in the meantime. Of the greater part of the program there is little to say except that it displayed powers of technique, sympathy and artistic insight coupled with a physical endurance rarely combined in one human frame. The Beethoven Sonata exhibited to a marked degree the self-control already mentioned, given with a dignity fully suited to the career of Napoleon. The fluency of the Ballade in A flat, the brilliancy of the "Harmonie du Soir," the abandon of the "Twelfth Rhapsodie" and the power of the "Mazepa" fulfilled all the promise of the earlier evening. Naturally Mr. O'Sullivan's own compositions were most critically met and, quite as naturally, awarded a meed of praise that art that is art alone inspires. His "Vision," containing harmonies and modulations on the Celtic mood all his own, is a true picture of poetic strength and grandeur with a temperament. His Irish melodies are harmonized with the plaintive sweetness found in no other music and relieved by the sprightly character of the reel thrown into the midst of the collection as the smile comes through the tears of an Irish lass.

"First I gave up my position, then I tried to find a remedy for my trouble, something that would make me well and strong, something to rest my tired stomach and build up my worn-out nerves and brain.

"I tried one kind of medicine after another, but nothing seemed to help me. As a last resort I tried different foods, but they all failed me.

"Finally a friend recommended Grape-Nuts and with little or no faith in it, I tried a package. That was eight months ago and I have never been without it since.

Capt. John Rollins, of the Charles Turner, went out on the I. N. Hook yesterday as pilot.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

	Pittsburgh	4.0	0.2	rise
Cincinnati	4.3	0.1	rise	
Louisville	2.3	0.0	fall	
Evansville	2.5	0.1	fall	
Mt. Vernon	2.3	0.2	fall	
St. Carmel	1.6	0.0	st'd.	
Nashville	9.0	0.6	fall	
Florence	14.0	3.7	fall	
Cairo	6.4	2.8	rise	
Johnsonville	7.0	1.2	rise	
Paducah	2.4	0.2	rise	
Burnsides	3.5	2.1	fall	
Carthage	4.1	1.4	rise	

River stage at 7 o'clock this morning, a rise of 0.2 since yesterday morning. The river here probably will rise for several days.

The steamer Dick Fowler got away at 8 o'clock this morning for Cairo and way landings and will return early tonight. This is the first trip of the Fowler for several months. The Dick had a good passenger and freight list for her first trip. The Dick Fowler is in charge of Capt. John Watts, Capt. Mark Cole on the wheel, Pat Cox and Joe Carson in charge of the engine room. Joe Cunningham mate, Buck Roberts head clerk and St. Malinski second clerk.

The steamer Clyde has been receiving freight all day at the wharf-boat and will leave at 6 o'clock this evening for Waterloo, Ala., and a way landings. The Clyde will have an extra large cargo of freight, as Christmas is getting near and the Tennessee river landings are preparing for a big time. She will return next Monday night.

The Bob Dudley arrived from Clarksville today and will leave for Nashville this evening at 6 o'clock. She will have a large cargo of freight, as Christmas is getting near and the Tennessee river landings are preparing for a big time. She will return next Monday night.

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DID THE WORK.

Grew Strong on Right Food.

You can't grow strong by merely exercising. You must have food and that food must be the kind you can digest and assimilate.

No matter how much food you eat unless it is digested it adds to the burden the digestive organs have naturally to carry. This often means a nervous breakdown.

"About a year ago," writes a Mass. lady, "I had quite a serious nervous breakdown caused, as I believed, by overwork and worry. I also suffered untold misery from dyspepsia.

The Blue Spot received supplies this morning at the foot of Broadway and cleared for the Tennessee after ties. The Blue Spot belongs to the Holcomb-Hays. The company and the sort he really enjoys smoking and buys for himself. It is likely we even know his favorite brand, for most of the discriminating smokers of Paducah buy their cigars here. Ours are kept in better condition and cost us more than most dealers think they can afford to pay.

A HANDSOME SOUVENIR POST CARD FREE TO EACH LITTLE GIRL CALLING AT E. GUTHRIE CO.

Mrs. Charles Emery, of Paducah, Ky., who has been the guest of Mrs. J. D. Ladd, will return home this evening. —Cairo Bulletin.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

XMAS GIFTS FOR MEN

Gifts for men sometimes seem the most difficult of all to select. But in at least 85 per cent of the instances they should be easiest of any. Come here and make it a box of good cigars — not the ordinary "Christmas gift" kind, but the sort he really enjoys smoking and buys for himself. It is likely we even know his favorite brand, for most of the discriminating smokers of Paducah buy their cigars here. Ours are kept in better condition and cost us more than most dealers think they can afford to pay.

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4th and Broadway

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Get it at Gilbert's.

Victor Voris and Mrs. James Weile, street, will leave tomorrow morning giving a charming introduction to the for Jackson, Tenn., where she will be brilliant scene.

With Mrs. Wallerstein in the an operation Friday.

Mr. A. J. Decker, who has been in the city on business, left today for Louisville.

Mr. R. D. Stacey went to Eddyville today on business.

Mr. Thomas Sealey, of Knoxville, is in the city on business.

Mr. James Green and Mr. Charles Thomas left last night for Texas on a prospecting trip.

Mr. Guy Barnett, of Paducah, Ky., is visiting his father, Mr. Sam Barnett, and family, of 309 Long street, and other relatives in the city. His wife is expected in the city Thursday.

Jackson Sun.

Mrs. F. F. Alden, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is the guest of Mrs. V. H. Thomas, 320 North Sixth street.

Denny B. Smith, commonwealth's attorney of Trigg county, was in the city last night.

Mr. W. A. Dycus, a merchant of Kattawa, was in the city today on business.

Mr. J. B. Neal, of Pickneyville, Tenn., was in the city today on business.

Mr. Charles W. Collier, of Louisville, returned to his home this morning after attending the funeral and burial of his father in Marshall county.

Miss Gertrude Voight, 1400 South Fourth street, is seriously ill at her home.

Miss Ora LeRoy, of Booneville, Ind., who has been visiting her father, Mr. M. LeRoy, 408 Fountain avenue, has gone to Newbern, Tenn., on a visit.

Hon. J. C. Scegert, of Mayfield, went to Eddyville this morning on business.

Mrs. Ann Finley, of Memphis, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Gilbert, 817 Mayfield road, returned to her home this morning.

Mrs. William Cook, of Mayfield, was in the city today.

MULE for sale cheap. J. W. Lockwood, Old phone 936.

FOR RENT—Office room, 126 South Fourth, Old phone 1114.

FOR SALE—Upright folding bed, with mirror front. Old phone 546.

WANTED—Boarders by the day or week. Reasonable rates, 220 North Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Box range, Cheap, 918 Broadway.

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NOTICE—Peacher's Xmas bottles are now ready. R. L. Peacher & Co.,

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Bond Issue Favored to Meet Cost of Conserving All National Resources of Country.

TAFT PRESIDED AT MEETING.

Washington, Dec. 9.—President Roosevelt and President-elect Taft publicly put themselves on record today in advocacy of the issuance of government bonds for the construction of permanent public improvements to conserve the natural resources of the nation.

President-elect Taft presided at a joint conservation meeting at the Belasco theater in this city, at which President Roosevelt made the principal address. Roosevelt gave his unqualified approval for carrying out of the expert plans for the conservation of the nation's resources and Taft seconded Roosevelt's assertions with hearty accord.

Governor Chamberlain, of Oregon, voiced what seemed the advanced ground of the Democratic party, in advocacy of federal jurisdiction, and an audience which filled the theater applauded every sentiment expressed.

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No right-minded citizen would stop the proper use of our resources, but every good American must realize that national improvidence follows the same course that leads to the same end and personal improvidence, and that needless waste must stop. The time to deride or neglect the statements of experts and the teachings of the facts has gone by. The time to act on what we know has now arrived. Common prudence, common sense, and common business principles are applicable to national affairs just as they are to private affairs, and the time has come to use them in dealing with the foundations of our prosperity.

We must not grow hysterical or sensational in depicting our conditions long since passed away to prevent us from seeing the facts and applying business common sense to the situation they disclose. The purpose of the inventory was to give the facts—not to create alarm, but to lead stock of what we have, and so to lead to the necessary action for its preservation and increase.

Waterway Improvement.

Our natural resources are so related that the use of one affects the use of all the others. This is especially true in our waterways. Every man, woman and child within our borders has an interest in them, through navigation, power, irrigation, or water supply, or through all four. We have

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First, let us prepare a comprehensive plan for inland waterway development along the lines pointed out by the commission. Such a plan must consider every use of the water; it must put the interests of all the people in advance of any private interests whatsoever. The preparation of this comprehensive plan should begin at once.

Second, let us proceed immediately with the construction of the waterways for which plans have already been approved, and which we are now certain will fit into the outlines of the general plan. Our previous policy of procrastination, delay, and futile and partial action, has borne its painful fruit. Our waterways are deserted, and in return for our vast expenditures we have little or no actual navigation to show. The people are ready for a change. Let us have it, and at once. If we can pay the cost from current revenues let us do so. If not let us issue bonds. By either method, let us have the waterways and that quickly. The plan and the work can and should proceed together. While the work we are sure of is being begun, the plan for the rest can be prepared.

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CHURCH COUNCIL COMES TO CLOSE

Opposition to Increase Ar- mament of Power

Co-operation of City and Country
Papers Asked in Warfare on Im-
morality and Crime.

FOR BETTER DIVORCE LAWS

Philadelphia, Dec. 9.—The first federal council of the churches of Christ in America, organized to further the movement of unity of action among the Protestant denominations in the interest of spreading the gospel, closed today. Strong resolutions were adopted in opposition to increased armament by the nations of the earth.

Resolutions were also adopted condemning the divorce evil and commanding organizations that have taken up the subject of better divorce laws. The council also passed a resolution calling upon school authorities to give the children more time during the week for religious instructions in their homes and churches. The council also adopted the following:

"The federal council recognizes the great value of the city and country press, the last as well as the first, reaching and serving a vast religious as well as a civic field, and cordially invites all brotherhood of the press, secular and religious, to co-operate with the council as allies in the warfare against civic corruption, commercial dishonesty, immorality, vice and crime."

Peace, Not War.

Prof. Henry Wade Rogers, dean of the law department of Yale Uni-

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Frank Campbell, Alleged Bootlegger, Also Charged With Robbing a Saloon Here.

Frank Campbell, the negro arrested in Benton for bootlegging whisky and who when searched had seven gallons of booze in his overcoat, stole the whisky from James Bulger's saloon, in Mechanicsburg, it is alleged in a warrant issued today. Patrolman Mike Dugan swore out the warrant and tomorrow Chief Collins will send a policeman after Campbell and bring him back to Paducah. Campbell is alleged to have broke into Bulger's saloon Saturday night, and Monday peddled booze among the thirsty ones in Marshall county.

News of Theatres

Brown of Harvard.

Rida Johnson Young, the author of "Brown of Harvard," which the

Shuberts will offer at The Kentucky December 25, with James Young in the title role, has risen in three years to the position of our most successful woman dramatist. In quick succession she has written four straight successes in "The Boys of Company B," "Glorious Betsey," "Brown of Harvard" and "Ragged Robin," each of which has added to the luster of such stars as Arnold Daly, Mary Manning, Henry Woodruff and Chauncey Olcott. Although such speed on the part of the writer might put her under the suspicion of "pot boiling," a close study of Mrs. Young's career proves a long period of study and application in the magic art of producing dramatic incident and dialogue.

Something About "The Boys of Company B."

Paul Gilmore's new play, "The Boys of Company B," in which he is starring this season, was the fat at the Lyceum theater, New York, for an entire season. Portraying phases of American life so cleverly, it is bound to be a success wherever it is played in this country, and, from what Mr. Gilmore predicts for its success in London after looking over the ground very thoroughly last summer, it may prove to be the great success across the water it has become here. The story is about a witty and sane young New Yorker who is in love with the darling of his

heart and she with him. They are both young—Eileen, the fair one, is celebrating her twentieth birthday at the opening of the play. Tony Allen (Mr. Gilmore) has promised Eileen his mother not to speak of love to the young lady of his choice until she arrives at the age of twenty, and on this, her birthday, he is determined to propose to her and her mother is equally determined that he shall not. How he succeeds in telling the matron that he is in love with her daughter is one of the cleverest schemes ever thought out by a dramatist.

Dustin Farnum in "The Squaw Man."

Mary Cowell, leading woman for Dustin Farnum in "The Squaw Man," the successful play by Edwin Milton Royle, that comes to The Kentucky soon, under the management of Liebler & company, is accorded the distinction of being one of the most forceful and efficient actresses in emotional roles, outside of the limited stellar ranks of that class of actresses. In her career she has had association with many of the most prominent stars and has essayed leading roles in a wide range of plays. Her last appearance in this city was as leading woman with Mr. Farnum when he appeared in "The Virginian."

If you are the salt of the earth you will not be dropping yourself on the more places in other folks.

BARLOW RED MEN

WILL ENTERTAIN DEGREE TEAM FROM THIS CITY.

Will Confer Three Degrees in the Ballard County Town Tomorrow Night.

The degree team of the Red Men will leave tomorrow night for Barlow, where ten new members will be initiated into the Barlow Red Men. Three degrees will be conferred, and after the work the warriors will be served a banquet and smoky by the Barlow lodge. The lodge at Barlow was organized about two months ago but is thriving, and has about 35 active members. About 20 Red Men from Paducah will attend the ceremony.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Palmer—A. C. Clark, Nashville; E. L. Hughes, Jr., Louisville; J. O. Johnson, Humboldt; V. B. Norris, Evansville; C. H. Ogilvie, Cairo; F.

W. Creech, Ypsilanti; B. B. Haas, Cleveland; J. T. Ragsdale, Bowling Green; E. J. Spencer, Memphis.

Belvedere—N. J. Russell, Louis-

ville; A. Shelter, Evansville; C. D. McKinney, Hopkinsville; M. M. Bach-

us, Louisville; M. S. West, Brook-

port; J. A. Anderson, St. Louis; J.

E. Mossey, Hopkinsville; J. I. Pare,

F. Dodge; Denny P. Smith, Cadiz.

New Richmond—W. S. Dycus, Kirt-

awa; J. W. Lewis, Hazel; James H.

Hurt, Murray; T. A. Wade, Lukas-

Charles A. Sanders, Unionville; D.

W. Williams, Duloc; Paul J. Wyatt,

Ashland City; John Neuhaus, Nash-

ville; Charles Dunfer, Golconda.

St. Nicholas—W. C. Bennett, St.

Louis; Grant Dodson, Marion; G. P.

Poole, Princeton; C. S. Cross, Ham-

pton; H. H. Sherman, Indianapolis;

Miss Bettie Duley, Smithland; Wil-

liam Dugger, St. Louis; E. E. Burke,

Carrsville; Albert Scott, Hampton;

R. L. Lassiter, Lassiter, Ky.; E. L.

Taggard, Water Valley; J. R. Frazer,

Keill.

Two Telephones Installed.

Two telephones have been put in the police office, one being for the public use, while the patrolmen in reporting every hour will use the private line. The additional telephone will be of service to the police, as often the patrolmen are prevented from reporting promptly owing to someone holding the line.

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